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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

Dear Sir:

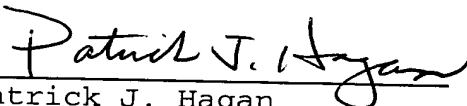
The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time of 3 months beyond the time period set in the Notification of Missing Requirements. A check in the amount of \$890.00 to cover this fee is enclosed. Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-1406. A duplicate copy of this first page is also enclosed to facilitate such debiting or crediting.

Respectfully submitted,

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